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House Resolution 76

By: Representatives Manning of the 32nd, Talton of the 145th, Byrd of the 20th, Rynders of the 152nd, Neal of the 1st, and others

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Honorable Georganna Sinkfield of Atlanta, House District 60, for service as
- 2 chairwoman of the House Committee on Children and Youth; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Honorable Georganna Sinkfield was elected to the Georgia House of
- 4 Representatives in 1982; and
- 5 WHEREAS, during her years in the House, she has served in various leadership roles and
- 6 has played a pivotal role in providing the necessary resources to help meet the needs of
- 7 children and youth, senior citizens, low income families, and the disabled citizens of this
- 8 great state; and
- 9 WHEREAS, she sponsored and cosponsored legislation addressing issues such as equity in
- 10 education, juvenile justice, and the protection and well-being of children and their families,
- including legislation to create the Office of the Child Advocate; and
- 12 WHEREAS, her dedication and zeal for the welfare of children, Georgia's most precious
- 13 resource, have been recognized by a broad spectrum of organizations, including the "Friend
- 14 of Children Award" from the Council for Children, Inc., and Georgians for Children's
- 15 "Champion Award"; and
- 16 WHEREAS, her untiring commitment to Georgia's citizens and her dedication to their
- welfare are most appreciated by her peers.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 19 the members of this body commend Honorable Georganna Sinkfield for her service as
- 20 chairwoman of the House Committee on Children and Youth and to the State of Georgia.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Honorable Georganna

3 Sinkfield.